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CLARENCE HOTEL.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS THIS DAY DISposed of the furniture, stock and good will of the Clarence Hotel to Mr. W. C. Anderson. Thanking the general public for the liberal patronage bestowed upon me, I bespeak for my successor a continuance of the same.

F. G. RICHARDS, JR.

All persons having claims against the undersigned are requested so send a statement of same to me on or before the 1st November.

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Winter Sets in at Winnipeg—People Want Responsible Government.

Buried Twelve Hours in a Well—Fire in City of Quebec, Etc.

Special to the TIMES.]

Winnipeg, Dec. 11—The city election takes place to-day. The principal interest centers in the contest for the Mayoralty. Ryan will probably be elected by about 400.

The Shedden Company, of Montreal, have secured the Northern Pacific cartage contract.

The curling rinks were formally opened last night. The winter has set in at last.

Roger's grain elevator, at Clearwater, was burned with 7,000 bushels of grain; loss $15,000.

Regina, Dec. 11.—The Northwest Assembly will be prorogued by Governor Royal at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

A memorial was adopted last night calling upon the Dominion Government to extend the full system of responsible government to the Territories as in the Provinces.

THE LIBERAL LEADERSHIP.

The Mail Advocates Sir Richard Cartwright's Claims.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Toronto, Dec. 11—The *Mail* in an editorial article on the liberal leadership, says: "Laurier is an excellent speaker and politician of considerable experience, but it is clear the English speaking provinces are not satisfied with him. Sir Richard Cartwright is evidently the man of their choice. He possesses the merit of having a definite policy and of being courageous enough to promulgate it in the face of day. Sir Richard may have his defects, but he has the virtue of courage and is unquestionably the man for the hour."

Vicar-General Laurent, administrator of the Toronto Diocese, denies that information as to the appointment of a successor to the late Archbishop Lynch has been received.

Rev. H. P. Hobson, who is severing his connection with St. James Cathedral as curate, to go to Vancouver, B. C., preached his farewell sermon last night.

The police are arranging to prevent a public demonstration on the arrival of R. G. I. Barnett, the alleged wrecker of the Central Bank, to-morrow.

THE GREAT ARBITRATION.

An Adjournment Decided on—Evidence to Be Taken.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Ottawa, Dec. 11.—At the arbitration case to-day it was arranged that the board would adjourn on the 12th, and then reassemble on the 27th, when the case for the government would be entered in about a week. The C. P. R. should begin its case on the 22nd of January, and last three weeks. The arbitrators would sit on the 20th of January, to take the evidence of Sir Charles Tupper, Sir David McPherson and Mr. Hamlin. Copies of the report of argument in the Manitoba Railway case have been filed with the judges of the Supreme Court.

EASTERN PROVINCES.

Buried in a Well—Mine Sold—Quebec Fire.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Guelph, Dec. 11—Wm. Willoughby was buried in a well 32 feet deep this morning. He could be heard all day crying to those above to hurry and release him. Fortunately the crib work, which fell in with the earth, saved his being crushed to death. He was liberated to-night in an exhausted state.

Kingston, Dec. 11—A serious accident occurred on the Canadian Pacific Railway near Maberly. A freight train, composed of fourteen cars, and filled with merchandise was wrecked by the breaking of a rail.

Port Arthur, Dec. 11—A cablegram from London to Clay, Street & Co., bankers here, announces the sale of the Wolverine silver mine in this district to English capitalists.

Quebec, Dec. 11—Marsh's boot and shoe factory was damaged by fire to-night; loss $20,000.

THE CRIMINAL LIBEL CASE.

Correspondence in the Case Against Ellis & Sargison of the "Colonist."

Mr. Grant has handed to us, for publication, the full correspondence relating to the apology proposed by Mr. Theodore Davie on behalf of his clients. The letters speak for themselves:

Victoria, December 8, 1888.

J. Roland Hett, Esq.

DEAR SIR:

(Regina on prosecution of Grant vs. Ellis & Sargisson.)

My clients are anxious to repudiate the innendoes which the indictment places on the expressions in "Taxpayer's" letter.

There was no intention of insinuating that the Mayor benefitted by Mr. Russell's frauds; that Mr. Grant had been a partner with Mr. Russell in the latter's frauds; that Mr. Grant had opposed the audit in collusion with Mr. Russell to cover up the latter's frauds, nor that your client had corruptly or in collusion with Russell failed to take action, or that corrupt, or unworthy motives of any kind had influenced Mr. Grant's conduct in this or any other matters relating to the corporation or in any other concern.

It was intended by "Taxpayer's" letter to condemn the Mayor's neglect to take action against Russell after the frauds had been pointed out by Mr. Bales and the unwisdom of Mr. Grant's subsequent relations with Mr. Russell. Messrs. Ellis & Sargison hold that the article does not go beyond legitimate criticism upon these matters.

As, however, Mr. Grant and his advisers take a different view, my clients instruct me to say that they are willing to disclaim through the columns of their paper in the most ample way any charges of corruption against your client.

Your answer is requested to-day as the time for putting in an answer is drawing to a close. Yours truly,

THEODORE DAVIE.

Dec. 3rd, 1888.

Theodore Davie, Esq., Q. C.:

DEAR SIR:

(Reg. on pros. Ellis & Sargison.)

Adverting to your letter of this day, I have to request that you will furnish me with a copy of the apology which you propose should be published by the defendants; also state what amount you consider they should pay for costs; bearing in mind that Mr. Grant has been put to great expense in this matter, and that I am now preparing for trial. Yours truly,

J. ROLAND HETT.

Victoria, December, 4th, 1888.

J. Roland Hett, Esq.:

DEAR SIR:

(*Re*-Ellis & Sargison.)

Whilst prepared to disclaim in the fullest manner any suggestion of corruption against Mr. Grant my clients cannot, with justice, be called upon to apologize for adverse comment upon that gentleman's official acts, which contains no imputation against his personal character.

To vindicate your client's honor Messrs. Ellis & Sargison will publish any thing within reason which you may compose, but it must not assume that they have defamed him, or retract any criticism upon Mr. Grant's official acts.

To ask us to contribute to Mr. Grant's costs is hardly in place, but to end trouble, my clients will concede this point if your demands are reasonable. Yours truly,

THEODORE DAVIE.

Dec. 4th, 1888.

Theodore Davie, Esq., Q. C.:

DEAR SIR:

(Reg. on pros. Ellis & Sargison.)

In reply to yours of this day I beg to say that it appears useless, even supposing it were my place, to prepare an apology for your clients in the face of your letter, which, in one place, withdraws the defamatory statements, and in another practically reasserts them. If your clients really desire to apologize they can scarcely hesitate to say so in plain terms. Yours truly,

J. ROLAND HETT.

After Mr. Davie's negotiations had ceased, it appears that Mr. Taylor, as a mutual friend of Mr. Grant and Messrs. Ellis & Co., personally arranged, between those gentlemen, the settlement which was actually carried out. Mr. Grant informs us that, provided Mr. Taylor will consent, he will also publish the letter signed by Messrs. Ellis & Co., offering to pay a reasonable sum for costs; but that without such consent he does not feel at liberty to do so.

We think it due to Mr. Taylor to give expression to the opinion of the public that he has throughout, in a delicate matter, acted in a highly honorable manner.

TELEGRAPHIC TICKS.

News of the World Condensed Into Pithy Paragraphs.

The Duchess of Galliera, France, is dead.

The great horse "Ormonde" is seriously ill. If he recovers he will be taken to Newmarket and thence in June to America, where he will be sold for stud purposes.

Commoner Pierce, the great shipbuilder who constructed the Etruria and others of the great ocean passenger steamers, has been dangerously ill for a week.

It is announced by professional agitators that 17,000 unemployed workingmen are on the eve of reviving the Trafalgar Square troubles. A small contingent of the vast army of the unemployed workmen paid a visit to the lord mayor to-day, after which they marched in procession through some of the principal streets. They carried a black banner upon which was inscribed in white letters, "We will have work or bread."

The British Parliament will be prorogued on Dec. 24th.

George H. Arnold and H. H. Pearson, formerly proprietors of the Baldwin Hotel, San Francisco, filed a petition of insolvency yesterday. The liabilities are $70,000; no assets. The money is owed to employees and to various firms.

Jacob Lang, a San Francisco grocer, aged 64, was found dead in his room yesterday morning from asphyxiation. The room was full of gas, which had escaped from an open burner.

Rear Admiral Leroy, of the U. S. navy, died at New York yesterday noon.

Encouraging reports of threshing operations in the Northwest have been received by the departments at Ottawa.

Boring for natural gas will be commenced in Ottawa immediately.

Auckland, New Zealand, Dec. 10—The steamer Alameda, with Spalding's American baseball combination, arrived here last night.

Missionary Services.

The annual missionary sermons in connection with the Nanaimo Methodist Church, Nanaimo, were preached yesterday morning and evening by the Rev. J. E. Starr, of Victoria. The church in the evening was literally crowded, benches having to be placed along the aisles, and even the pulpit seats being occupied. The reverend gentleman is a powerful and eloquent speaker, and preached an able sermon on the subject of the failure or progress of Christianity. He advanced strong convincing arguments to show that Christianity was advancing with rapid strides, and predicted that within a century the world would be completely won to God and Christ. He depicted what Christianity had done for the world in the space of social and religious liberty—in the founding of places of learning—hospitals for the sick, asylums for the insane, homes for the indigent, etc. In contrast to this the speaker asked what had infidelity ever done for the advancement or the benefit of mankind, and the answer came rolling down the corridor of time—*nothing, nothing*. He concluded his sermon with a powerful appeal to all to embrace the religion of the living God, which was already clearly shown to be the winning side, and in a few short years would be the popular side. At present especially in this province, the hotel was very popular, but with the advancing strides of Christianity that popularity will fade and die.

The annual missionary services will be held in the church this evening, when addresses will be made by the Rev. James Millar, Rev. J. E. Starr and the pastor—Rev. J. Hall.—*Free Press.*

Vancouver Election.

The election for aldermen in the city of Vancouver yesterday excited considerable interest and resulted as follows:

Ward No. 1—S Brighouse, 121; W F Salsbury, 114; John Williams, 54.

Ward No. 2—J W Horne, 156; James Whetham, 128; Dr Beckingsale, 39.

Ward No. 3—R Clark, 109; W J Brewer, 82; F W Sentel, 81.

Ward No. 4—G S McConnell, 66; M Costello, 56; G H Lockerby, 48.

Ward No. 5—I Oppenheimer, 37; Dr Lefevre, 38; H V Edmonds, 16.

In each ward the first two candidates named were elected. Five of the old aldermen will be in the council of 1889. Mayor Oppenheimer was re-elected by acclamation.

TO-DAY'S DISPATCHES.

A Terrific Explosion in Chicago—The Arab Outbreak at Suakim.

The Haytien Revolution—Work of the White Caps—Matricide Hanged.

Chicago, Dec. 11—A terrific explosion shattered the building of David Oliver's oatmeal mills, corner of Halstead and Fulton streets, at 2 o'clock this morning. The building immediately took fire and with Charles Murphy's saloon adjoining was completely destroyed. Three men employed in the mill were burned to death. They were Ernest Cooper, John Schmidt and Charles Miller. The fire spread to Jacob Press' wagon shop adjoining, and shattered doors were blown off. Many narrow escapes are reported, but few were injured. The explosion is supposed to have been caused by oatmeal dust. Total loss, $150,000.

The second engineer was blown out of the building into the street, a distance of over thirty feet. His injuries are very serious, but not necessarily fatal. On the corner of Fulton street and adjoining the mills was a double frame building occupied by Charles Murphy. The upper rooms were occupied by this family who miraculously escaped from the building after the roof had been blown off. In the rear of the mill were a number of small residences and saloons. They are utterly demolished. The buildings on Halsbest street, opposite the mill, are almost totally ruined. The scene in the streets in front of the mill is a chaos of the wildest description. Tons of bricks are piled up on the cars and hacks, and the entire fire department is at work playing streams of water on the fire. Sensational rumors of the explosion being caused by dynamite are being circulated. The fire department are of the opinion that the explosion took place in the boiler room. The financial loss is about $75,000.

After the fire was extinguished Marshall Gabriel commenced an investigation and satisfied himself there were only three bodies in the ruins, those of Casper, John Christiansen and Chas. Miller. Casper was a cupola man and worked on the top on the mill cupola and was hurled a hundred feet away. The body of the victim is in the ruins. Christiansen was a kilnman, and his body is in the southwest corner of the mill covered by tons of debris. Miller, who was engineer, is no doubt buried near the boiler. Marshall Gabriel has a force of thirty men digging in the ruins. The boilers have been uncovered and it was found they were not exploded and the cause of the explosion remains to be discovered. The building was a hundred feet by forty and four stories high. Up to 12 o'clock but one victim had been taken out of the ruins, that of Miller, the engineer. Mr. Olsen thinks the disaster was caused by an explosion of mill dust.

THE SUAKIM OUTBREAK.

London, Dec. 11—News is momently expected of a movement on the Arab works at Suakim. The garrison now outnumbers the forces besieging them three to one, but Osman Digna is coming up with heavy reinforcements which will make the forces about equal. The first blow must be struck by the garrison before he arrives. It is reported General Sir Chas. Warren, late Chief of the Metropolitan Police, is to be sent to Suakim. General Grenfell will be the first given a chance to dislodge the enemy in front of Suakim and try conclusions with Osman Digna in the open field. It is proposed that Sir Charles Warren will then appear as commissioner for Great Britain and Egypt and with full power to pacify that part of the Soudan by negotiation and if that fails by vigorous prosecution of the war. The experience of General Warren in dealing with southern African states is supposed to peculiarly qualify him for this task.

BRIGHT SLOWLY IMPROVING.

The improvement of John Bright's condition continues, the fever has abated and the patient is quite comfortable this morning.

TO RECEIVE THE IMPERIAL HEADS.

Rumors pursue the Empress Eugenie at every step she makes on the continent and now that she is going to Paris it is said she intends to receive there the heads of the Imperial Committee, and Republicans denounce this as abuse of the hospitality of France.

THE NEW SPANISH CABINET.

The new Spanish cabinet differs but little from the preceding one, but it is more phable and has been constructed by Senor Sagasta with his usual adroituess so as to show a disposition to make concessions to protectionists in the Cortes.

FALSE REPRESENTATIONS.

Berlin, Dec. 11—The *North German Gazette* says it is authorized to declare officially that the attacks made by the Australian press upon Germany for having, they charge, misled England and the Zanzibar blockade agreement merely to serve German interests imperilled by the outbreak on the coast, have caused very disagreeable surprise here. The *Gazette* affirms the agreement was proposed in good faith and negotiations have been conducted throughout in a most friendly manner.

RAILROAD DIVIDENDS.

New York, Dec. 11—The Western Union Telegraph Company to-day declared a dividend of 1¼ per cent. for the current quarter.

The Manhattan Elevated Railroad today declared the usual monthly dividend of 1 per cent.

DALY'S ASSAILANTS INDICTED.

The grand jury in general sessions today found indictments against Henry Hermann, Edward Meredith, Ella Hammond and Addie Stanton, assailants of Phil Daly, a gambler. The indictments charge them with attempted robbery in the first degree and assault in the first degree. Daly is sick and not able to appear before the grand jury who received a certificate to that effect.

TEN-ROUND FIGHT.

Dayton, O., Dec. 11—Jack Wannop, of Cincinnati, and Tom Robinson (colored), of Springfield, fought ten rounds for $200 near here last night. Wannop had the best of the fight throughout, but it was declared a draw.

THE NORTH AND THE SOUTH.

New York, Dec. 3—The *Mail and Express* (Rep.) has another war editorial this morning entitled, "Why the North Will Fight." It says: "With every disposition for peace our former experience has shown us that the southerners will not be compelled to do justice to all classes of our fellow-citizens in no other way than by war. If the war has got to come, the quicker the better, but let the north begin it. The safety of the republic demands a full and free operation of the fundamental principle on which our constitution is based, and that is the right of the majority to rule." The editorial concludes as follows: "No one would deprecate war more than ourselves, and if the south would prevent war it must speedily wheel about and by a course of justice and equity remove its necessity."

THE SUAKIM GARRISON.

London, Dec. 11—In the Commons tonight, Hon. Edward Stanhope, Secretary of State for War, announced that the garrison at Suakim would be reinforced with a squadron of hussars and 300 Welsh infantry. This, he said, would make the effective strength of the garrison 6,500 men, against 2,400 of the besieging enemy. Most of the 6,500 troops, he added, were Egyptians.

Lord Randolph Churchill has written to the press, in which he says that Stanhope's statement in the Commons tonight completely vindicates his (Churchill's) revelations disclosing the inadequacy of the force at Suakim.

THE HAYTIAN TROUBLE.

Washington, Dec. 11—Secretary Whitney returned to the city this morning. Orders have been issued by the navy department that the Yantic and Gabus proceed to Hayti in company. Permission has been given the owner of the Haytian Republic to sail on the Gabus.

PACIFIC COAST TRADE.

San Francisco, Dec. 10—The Bradstreet Mercantile Agency reports twenty failures in the Pacific Coast States and Territories last week, as compared with 10 for the previous week and 13 for the corresponding week of 1887.

The price of coal remained very firm during the week. From foreign ports 6373 tons arrived, and from coast mines 3400 tons. Dunsmuir reduced the wholesale price of Wellington coal to $4 on Friday, making the present price $12 per ton. A corresponding cut was made by the other dealers yesterday.

THE WHITE CAPS AT WORK.

Waco, Tex., Dec. 11—The White Caps flogged Geo. Armstrong Whiteman nearly to death early yesterday morning, for leaving his wife destitute and sick and publicly living with another woman. The flogging took place at 10 o'clock in the northern part of the city. The whippers wore white caps which came down over their faces. A notice was pinned to a tree where the flogging took place informing all citizens that the perpetrators were law-abiding but determined to mete out punishment to the guilty when the statutes failed.

JACKSONVILLE REJOICES.

Jacksonville, Dec. 11—This city is rejoicing over the disappearance of the scourge. No new cases are reported. The refugees are returning and are being escorted from the depot by processions. The city is very lively and everybody is happy.

EVICTIONS FAIL.

London, Dec. 10—The intended evictions from the Clanricarde estates have failed miserably, the officials having refused to furnish a military force to protect the bailiffs from the wrath of the evictees and their friends. The people are now celebrating the failure of the evicting campaign by burning huge bonfires.

NEW NAVAL STATION.

Washington, Dec. 11.—Commodore Stockton of the board appointed by the Secretary of the Navy to select a site for a navy-yard on the Northwest coast stated to-day that the board would probably start within the next ten days to examine the Pacific coast for that purpose. The coast of Oregon and Washington Territory will be thoroughly examined for an eligible location. The site selected will probably be on Puget Sound or thereabouts.

FIGHTING OVER A STATUE.

Amsterdam, Dec. 9—A large meeting was convened here to-night to favor the project of erecting a statue of the Pope. About 600 socialists gained admission to the hall, and by creating an uproar prevented the speakers from completing their addresses. A desperate fight between the Catholics and socialists ensued, in the course of which many persons were injured. The police were finally compelled to fire into the riotous crowd in order to quell the disturbances and several persons were wounded. After order had been restored the ringleaders of the socialistic crowd were arrested and locked up.

THE DYING STATESMAN.

London, Dec. 9—John Bright had another attack of chills to-day, which left him in a very weak condition. Other symptoms of disease are very grave, and dissolution may be expected at any time. When his son read to him the address of the Birmingham Liberal Society on Friday, deploring his condition, detailing his principal services to the country, and expressing hope of his recovery, Mr. Bright said: "Yes, they have always been very kind to me. I am anxious to hear every word." He requested a repetition of part of the address, and paid as close attention to the entire reading as his painful state would permit.

A TOTAL WRECK.

Yaquina, Or., Dec. 10—The steamship Yaquina Bay, which arrived at San Francisco from Baltimore December 1st, for the Oregon Development Company and which sailed for this port on the 4th, went ashore in the bay last night and is a total wreck.

The steamer had safely passed over the bar in company of a tug boat, when through some carelessness she suddenly swerved from her course to the south and ran onto a sand bar. While in this position she was struck broadside by a heavy sea, throwing her heavily, knocking a hole in her bottom and filling her with water. Had it not been for this sea striking her she would have safely stood the strain. The steamer was valued at $200,000 and was fully insured.

A MATRICIDE HANGED.

River Head, L. I., Dec. 11—Francis Hawkins, a matricide, was hanged in the jail yard here to-day. The drop fell at 8:25 and within half an hour after the body was cut down and turned over to relatives and friends. The condemned man took his fate coolly and walked to the scaffold with fortitude apparently born of indifference.

THE SPANISH CABINET.

Madrid, Dec. 11—Senor Sagasta has succeeded in forming a ministry as follows: Senor Sagasta, Premier; Senor Armijo, Minister of Foreign Affairs; Senor Gonzales, Minister of Finance; Senor Capdepon, Minister of the Interior; Senor Camalejas, Minister of Justice; Senor Xiquenes, Minister of Commerce; General Chincilla, Minister of War; Admiral Arias, Minister of Marine, and Senor Becerra, Minister of the Colonies

Passengers Arriving.

Per Str. Princess Louise from Westminster—Captain and Mrs Bole, Captain N P Snowden, J F Grahey, Captain Robinson, G Windsor, W W McMillan, C Agassiz, J Metzras, Geo Richard, O O Lagelborg, P J Brine, H McDermott, L Liddell, Phillips, M Collison, K O Chang, Kwong Lung.

Per steamer Olympian from Puget Sound—Mrs Henly, W Lowry, D Lowry, J Smith, W McClennan, M Tibbetts, Mrs Evans and daughter, E Veinns, F Paul, Mrs L F Sufferin, A Schulsinger, H Lawson, Dr Bentley and wife, H B Simington, J Fitch, W E Stevens, G Bennett and wife, G Tucker and son, F Brennan wife and daughter, E King, C W Jones, Mrs M Fritz, D Smith, Mrs Schenck and daughter, S Wahtier, H Wahtor, Mrs Jones, F J Bailey, Mrs McLaughlin, Miss Vidler, R H Browne, J M Fowler, N P Watermock, W Whittington.

Consignees.

Per Str. Princess Louise from Westminster—Albion I W, Baker & Son, Ames H & Co, S J Pitts, Courtney & D, H Saunders, B & Ker, M W Whitt, Bornstein, S Leiser, Anderson, J Parker, J W Todd.

Per steamer Olympian from Puget Sound—S Leiser, Langley & Co, H B Co, Argus & Gordon, H Saunders, S J Pitts, H Saunders, P McGuade, A B Gray & Co, S L Kelly & Co, Marvin & T, T R & Co, Van Cool & Mfg Co, H S, W & T W, T N H & Co, T B & Co, W Eckert, H & Lockhart, J Weiler, W McColl, A B Johnson, Robert Todd, J B Thornton, W Eckert, Van Volkenburgh, W R & Co, H B Co, Lewen & Erb, E J Thain.

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Victoria, - Tuesday, December 11th

EXTRAORDINARY REPUDIATION.

THEODORE DAVIE did not appreciate the position he was placed in on Saturday last by the publication of his remarks in court, on the question of costs in the criminal libel case, which contradicted a statement made by him in a letter to Mayor GRANT's counsel. It was certainly a very unenviable situation, and it is not surprising that he should make an effort to escape from the dilemma in which his looseness of statement unfortunately landed him. But his letter in the Colonist of Sunday morning does not improve matters; in fact the explanation is no explanation at all, and only presents our esteemed friend in a worse light than before. In another column of this paper we publish the full correspondence between the respective counsel, in regard to the proposals for a settlement of the proceedings taken by Mayor GRANT against SANGSTON & ELLIS. Appended to these letters is a proposition from Mayor GRANT to publish the confidential letter of ELLIS & Co., authorizing the payment of costs of the prosecution as a basis of settlement. In view of the false statements in the Colonist it is only right that this letter should be published. Our contemporary on Saturday said that each party was to pay its own costs, and at the same time editorially repudiated the agreement arrived at by the gentleman who was acting on its behalf. It is no concern of ours that ELLIS & Co., declined to take THEODORE DAVIE into their confidence by informing him of the negotiations they had set on foot; they doubtless had their own reasons for so acting. The only two points of interest to the public is, first, that THEODORE DAVIE proposed to apologize and pay costs, and, second, that ELLIS & Co., did precisely the same thing. The first is proved by the correspondence now published; the second can be proved by the publication of ELLIS & Co.'s letter. The position is a very humiliating one indeed.

INJUNCTIONS.

The proceeding now pending before the Superior Court, in which the city of New Westminster and a number of the leading citizens are defendants, reveales an anomalous state of the law. Without venturing to express any opinion one way or the other on a matter which is now in court, where it will be properly dealt with, it does seem as if sufficient safeguards against the granting of *exparte* injunctions are not now required by law. Some amendment is necessary in our municipal laws, so that where the few wish to set themselves in opposition to the majority they will be required to give proper security for all damages caused by their opposition before they can acquire the right to be heard.

A WICKED JOURNAL.

Any newspaper which loses its self respect sufficiently to allow Mr. THEO. DAVIE to have access to its editorial columns is scarcely worth noticing. As, however, the character of the writer is to some extent lost sight of THE TIMES may be excused for noticing an editorial article in this morning's Colonist under the heading "A Whining Appeal." Under this caption an attack is made upon THE TIMES which we refuse to think any journalist in this province would be guilty of writing and which for downright wickedness beats anything published in the Colonist for a long time. Any one who has not read the article in question is advised, nay entreated, to do so, for we know of no way so effective of exposing the characters that hive around the Colonist office as by allowing them to do it themselves. Mr. DAVIE is not even consistent. In this morning's article he says:

"But THE TIMES at last went beyond that limit. It attacked Mr. Dunsmuir in his public capacity as a member of the government."

That is clear enough. THE TIMES did attack Mr. DUNSMUIR in his public capacity and is justified by Mr. DAVIE in the following language contained in a letter sent to Mr. HETT re the case of Mayor GRANT vs ELLIS & SANGSTON, and published in THE TIMES on the 8th inst. Mr. DAVIE said:

"Whilst prepared to disclaim in the fullest manner any suggestion of corruption against Mr. Grant, my clients cannot, with justice, be called upon to apologize for adverse comment upon that gentleman's *official acts*, which contain no imputation against his personal character."

Mr. DAVIE will perhaps now explain how that which constituted no offence on the part of the Colonist was construed to be a crime on the part of THE TIMES. The only comments made by THE TIMES were on Mr. DUNSMUIR's "official acts."

THE GOVERNMENT'S POSITION

The Dominion Government appears to have impaled themselves on the horns of a dilemma in regard to the railway matter. The question asked is, did they know when purchasing the monopoly from the C. P. R. last spring that a rival road could not cross the Canadian Pacific line in Manitoba without applying to the Dominion Parliament? To say they did not, throws a grave reflection on their astuteness and legal knowledge. To say they did, is equal to accusing Sir JOHN and his colleagues of a lack of frankness and honesty in dealing with the Manitoba Commissioners on one hand, and Parliament on the other. The one motive of Parliament in dealing with the monopoly question last session was to secure the free right to Manitoba to construct railways within its own borders, and knowing this what must be said of the frankness of the ministry, who, in dealing with a great public question, led Parliament into a trap? The good faith is not shown here, that we have a right to expect from men entrusted with the control of the nation's affairs.

GLADSTONIAN VICTORY.

The papers to hand give details of the election for a member of Parliament for Dewsbury, which is a typical Yorkshire town. The candidates were Mr. ONSLOW, a Liberal, and Mr. ARNOLD-FORSTER, a Unionist; and the special interest of this contest is, that Mr. ARNOLD-FORSTER has been beaten by the enormous majority of 2000 votes. Mr. ARNOLD-FORSTER is an adopted son of the late Mr. W. E. FORSTER, who was Secretary for Ireland, but more important still he is generally supposed to be the writer of "Parnellism and Crime" in the Times, and therefore is in a great measure the cause of the present PARNELL Commission. The defeat at Dewsbury then is a severe popular blow at the Times, at the Unionists and at the Tory Government. The poll was the largest that ever took place in Dewsbury.

FOREIGNERS.

There seems to be little doubt that the plan outlined in the despatches for restricting immigration to the United States will be adopted at the next session of Congress. The main feature of the scheme is the appointment of inspectors of immigration to be attached to all important consular stations, in those countries from which immigrants come in large numbers. The duty of the inspectors will be to make inquiries as to the character and circumstances of all applicants for admission to the United States, rigidly excluding the pauper and vicious classes by refusing to grant them certificates or passports into the cities of America. These measures, which need not necessarily exclude any industrious foreigner, were certainly shown to be necessary by the investigations of Mr. FORD's committee, and as Eastern Canada is suffering from the same evil it is evident that this country will be compelled in self defense to resort to similar measures. It would be a very nice thing, of course, if Canada could assume that title of "Land of the Free" so generously accorded to the United States by our Hon. J. H. TURNER and so unceremoniously rejected by that country, but we can scarcely afford to have the unwholesome current diverted to our shore and have our own green fields become the dumping ground of the pauper and vicious classes of Europe. The old countries are too glad to get rid of them. Canada has to-day a population as self respecting and high morally and intellectually as any country on the face of the earth. It is our duty to keep it so.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Columbian refers to the despicable tactics of the prosecution in the case of Dunsmuir vs the TIMES, in placing a writ in the Sheriff's hands when payment had not been refused, and says: "The affair savors much of a deliberate attempt to kill the TIMES." Our contemporary is right. The extraordinary proceeding, however, has met with general condemnation, and instead of killing it has infused more life and determination into this journal.

One thing that strangers are at a loss to understand when they come to Canada, says the Star, is why a Canadian bank bill should be subjected to a discount, while an American bill passes at par. It seems odd that the bills of a bank in one province of the Dominion should be subjected to a discount of one or two per cent in another. In the maritime provinces Ontario and Quebec are still referred to as "Canada," as indeed is also the case in British Columbia, as if the people of these provinces belonged to another country. A Canadian bank bill, if it is good at all, should be good all over the Dominion. To subject it to a discount seems absurd and unfair, especially to strangers, who assume when they receive a bank bill that it is good for its face value all over the Dominion. Accepting American bank bills at par only emphasizes the anomaly of the matter. It is stated by the Toronto Budget that the Bank of Nova Scotia has arranged with the Merchants Bank in Toronto to redeem its notes at par. This it hails as a step in the direction of making the circulation of bank bills in Canada redeemable at all the business centres, which should be followed by a similar arrangement on the part of all the banks at the various provincial capitals from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

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Fifth—One purport of the bad men in the employ of the company is to corrupt and demoralize the natives. They laugh at purity, while prostitution is applauded and rewarded.

Sixth—These employees are discouraged from bringing their wives and families on the island, and the result has been that, through a series of terrorism, many native homes have been broken up and the wives and daughters practically outraged.

Seventh—The natives have no means of appeal to Washington, because they are unfamiliar with the methods of reaching the ear of the government and feel that they cannot leave the islands without a permit.

Eighth—The appeal is made that liberty-loving people who frown upon slavery in every form, but which they are unconsciously tolerating in Alaska, should take prompt measures to suppress the outrages.

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Left to their Fate by Government—A Wretched People.

(Correspondence Montreal Witness.)

Hazelton, Oct. 10—Having arrived at the scene of the late disturbances, I will endeavor to inform you upon the condition of the district at the close of the season. Superintendent Royecraft, of the Provincial police, on leaving Hazelton, wrote an official communication to each of the resident white families, informing them that as the protection of the local government would be withdrawn for the future they had better leave the country at once. The residents, as citizens, protested against this disgraceful action and in compliance with their demand Captain Fitzstubbs, S. M., who had penetrated to Hazelton and asserted the law some days before Supt. Boycraft appeared, was stationed with two constables at Hazelton. He is acting efficiently in swearing in the chiefs as special constables; building a gaol with a neat display of irons, and liberal promise to intending guests of dried salmon and water, and in visitation of the several communities, threatening everything disagreeable to those who shall in future disturb the peace. The resident officer of the Hudson's Bay Company, Mr. Clifford, is building a stockade and two bastions, in place of the temporary defences of last summer, with a view chiefly to the protection of the company's property.

POTLATCH AND MURDERS.

Beyond the usual threats there is nothing ominous in the outlook, the Indians being comparatively civil and the chiefs impressed with the certainty of being set upon should they annoy the white people. There is little doubt that at least three of the villages will be in an uproar during the "potlatch" season, namely, Gitwangah, Gitzegukla and Gitwinlthgul (Giatkshian spelling); but this will probably be limited to a murder or two among the Indians themselves and will not endanger the whites.

A MASSACRE PLOTTED.

But there is another and more important aspect of the question, and one of national consequence. Had it not been for government interference this summer, insolence would have extended to outrage, and outrage culminated in a determined attempt at massacre. The Indians believed that they were decimated with the measles by the Hudson's Bay Company, who had it in a box behind the counter, and having lost 250 persons in one epidemic last winter they confessed that they had intended, with but three dissentients, to kill all the white people, out of a feeling of poetic justice which we should not appreciate.

THE NEGLECTED VILLAGES.

Now, when those unfortunate people are seen to suffer from every horror that filth can bring, and to live in terrible ignorance of the causes and remedies of such evils is it not time that their guardian, our Federal Government, assumed its neglected duties and placed an agent among them with power to do some good? They have, beyond a little dole of medicine and seeds, received no assistance whatever. I speak for the following villages: Gitamaksh, or Hazleton (325 people); Gitwinlthgul (350); Gitwangah (325); Gitsegukla (285); Kishpyooks or Kishpyax (400); Hagwilgaet (325); Kishkahgas and Kolds (300) and a few minor places.

POOR, HEATHEN AND SAVAGE.

I understand that these people were once visited on business connected with their lands, and Mr. Todd, stationed at Metlakahtla, is nominally agent. But Mr. Todd has a large agency on the coast and has never been able to visit more than one (Gitwangah) of the above named places so that practically the Giatkshians, or people of Upper Skeena, are shamefully neglected. Before many years a railway will have opened this remote frontier to the world, and it will be a great crime to expose this naked people to the blighting atmosphere of our civilization. Without either the immense natural food supplies of the coast, or the strong missionary and trade influence that has there civilized the Tsimpsheans, the people of the Upper Skeena are poor, heathen and savage—strong claims to our sympathy. I draw your attention to this thing in the name of humanity and of justice, and the *Witness* as an exponent of these gives the matter publicity.

Crow's Nest Pass.

A Winnipeg gentleman, says a Winnipeg paper, who has been through the country in question is inclined to believe the rumor mentioned in these columns a day or so since that the Canadian Pacific were looking at the Crow's Nest Pass as an alternative route to the Pacific coast for their main line. The grade, he says, is hardly perceptible, and perhaps at no point in their entire distance can the Rockies be passed with so little difficulty. The road would debouch from the pass into the Kootenay Lake district, which both as regards soil, climate and scenery is one of the most famed places on the continent. Were the line to be built and made the main line of the Canadian Pacific it would make McLeod rather than Calgary the leading town of the west, and would deal a heavy blow at Banff and the National Park.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Kurtz's Jubilee Cigars are now ready

—Oysters and Turtles at Poodle Dog

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—For ladies' and gentlemen's purses and traveling bags go to M. W. Waitt & Co.'s *

—Fresh Oysters at the New England Bakery. Delivered to all parts of the city. Telephone No. 161. *

—Have you tried Holloway's Corn Cure? It has no equal for removing these troublesome excrescenses, as many have testified who have tried it. *

—The flower trade of London is estimated to amount to £5,000 a day.

—Use the safe, pleasant, and effectual worm killer, Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator; nothing equals it. Procure a bottle and take it home. *

—**Ross & Ceperley, Real Estate and Insurance, C. P. R. Co.'s lots for sale; correspondence solicited. P. O. Block, Hastings street, Vancouver, B. C.** *

—Upon the menu of the Lord Mayor's dinner, at which the Premier always speaks, there was printed "After Salisbury, dancing."

—For the largest and best assortment of FURNITURE, CARPETS, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, LAMPS, &c., go to J. SEHL, Government Street, where you are sure to get suited in style, quality and lowest prices. *

—The salary of the English Attorney-General is £7,000, with £5,000 perquisites. The Solicitor-General's stipend is £6,000 and £3,000 perquisites.

—For forty years, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral has been demonstrated to be the most reliable remedy in use, for colds, coughs, and lung diseases. Slight colds should not be neglected. The Pectoral will prevent their becoming chronic. *

—A suit for libel is to be brought against a Brooklyn newspaper by a prominent politician because the paper referred to him as a "wind jammer."

—Tone up the system and improve the appetite by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It will make you like a new person. Thousands have found health, and relief from suffering, by the use of this great blood purifier, when all other means failed. *

—An Indian woman who had a beautiful head of hair sold it, and with part of the proceeds at once invested in a complete set of "switches" and "front pieces."

—First and foremost among external curatives of pain is Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Nor is it less esteemed as a remedy for coughs, pains, swellings, corns, bunions, etc. It is an economic as well as inexpensive article, since the results produced by it necessitate the use only of a small quantity. *

—"A gentleman should never take a lady's hand unless she offers it," says a book of etiquette. This knocks our old-fashioned ideas about proposing completely askew.

—Do no violence to the liver and general system by repeated doses of mercury in the shape of calomel and blue pill. Many persons thus dose themselves even without the advice of a physician. The best substitute for such perunicious drugs, and the use of which is never followed by disastrous effects upon the general health, is Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, which permanently tones the stomach, regulates the bowels, purifies the blood, and gives a healthful glow to the cheek. *

—It may interest the curious to learn that Mrs. Harrison will be the thirty-third lady to preside over the Executive Mansion, although Mr. Harrison will be the twenty-third President.

—W. W. McLellan, Lyn P. O., writes: "I was afflicted with Rheumatism, and had given up all hopes of a cure. By chance I saw Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil recommended. I immediately sent (fifty miles) and purchased four bottles, and with only two applications I was able to get around, and although I have not used one bottle, I am nearly well. The other three bottles I gave around to my neighbors, and I have had so many calls for more, that I feel bound to relieve the afflicted by writing to you for a supply." *

—The cause of women's rights in France has progressed to the point of the introduction of a bill to grant to tradeswomen paying licenses the right to vote at elections of judges of the Tribunal of Commerce.

—The face wears a yellowish hue, pimples appear upon it, sick headaches, vertigo, morning nausea, and pains in back, side and shoulder blade, are experienced when bile enters the system and poisons the blood. Expel it from the circulation, and direct it into its natural channel, the bowels, with Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Great Blood Purifier, which has widely superseded mineral drugs having a dangerous reaction. Indigestion, Constipation, Impurity of the Blood, and Kidney Complaints are entirely overcome by its use. *

—The inventor of the railway ticket, Robert Savill, has just died. Formerly receipts were given for traveling fares, as in the case of mail coaches. Savill, a clerk in the Birmingham Railway Company, hit on the ticket.

—The best present you can make to your wife, is a Life Insurance Policy. The new cheap Tontine Term Policy offered by the rich Citizens' Insurance Company of Canada, is already a popular favorite. At age 30, a 20 year Tontine term $2,000 policy costs only $15.40 each six months, or $7.70 for each $1,000 of insurance. At the end of the term of insurance, you will receive back **more than double** the premiums you have paid, or can have a fully paid up policy for the original amount insured. A $5,000 policy on same plan, costs only at age 30, $19.60 each three months. The original sum insured is paid without discount, should the insured die before his term expires. Company's office, 56 Langley street, Victoria. *

For Home and Country.

The British Columbia Directory. This home production is now in press and will be issued at as early a date as possible. Subscribers that have not signed for copies will confer a favor by sending in their names before the end of November to the office, 28 Broad street. R. T. Williams, publisher.

A Success.

The French Hotel, under the management of the well known epicure, Mr. Escalet, is meeting with excellent success. All speak in glowing terms of the cuisine. The place to get the best dinner in town. Meals at all hours during the day. *

Ronisch Pianos.

We have a consignment of these renowned great pianos on the way of new designs and request intending buyers to wait and examine them before buying. Ronisch pianos have now been ten years in use in B. C. and give universal satisfaction. C. A. LOMBARD. *

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Patent Leather Dancing Shoes at Erskine's Boot and Shoe Emporium, corner Government and Johnson streets. *

THE ALASKAN BOUNDARY.

Work on the Survey About to Be Commenced.

Congress at its last session appropriated $100,000 as the amount to be expended to determine the boundary line between the Territory of Alaska and Canada. Messrs. McGrath and Turner of the United States Coast Survey arrived in San Francisco last week and are engaged on preparatory work for the survey. These two gentlemen will work on the Porcupine river, a branch of the great Yukon, and determine the 141 degree meridian, along which the boundary line passes. At the present time it has not been settled if any parties will proceed to Demarcation Point, on the shores of the Arctic, but it is possible that some work will be inaugurated north of the Porcupine river in order to determine the nature of the country, its features and resources. Messrs. McGrath and Turner will leave here in May next and expect to be engaged for two seasons in the far North. Other parties will work north from southeastern Alaska to the Yukon, and it is expected that in 1890 the commissioners of both the United States and Canada will be able to definitely settle the territorial rights of their countries.

CHURCH BAZAARS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—In the notice of my sermon on gambling in your paper of last evening, you say, "that the Church Bazaar was unsparingly condemned." What I condemned was not Bazaars but raffling in connection with church bazaars. I think it necessary to make this correction, because I consider a sale of ladies' work a most praiseworthy means of helping on any good work, provided the sale is conducted honestly and becomingly, and the ladies of St. Andrew's are preparing to help in our church building by this means. I am, yours &c.,

P. McF. MACLEOD.

Does it Pay?

Three-fourths of our people are troubled with dyspepsia or liver complaint in some form or other, which by nature of the disease has a depressing influence on the mind or body, preventing them from thinking or acting clearly in any matter of importance. Indigestion, coming up of food after eating, dyspepsia, sick headache, acidity of the stomach or any derangement of the stomach or liver (upon which the whole action of our system depend) are speedily and effectually overcome by the use of Green's August Flower. The most stubborn cases have yielded to its influence, as thousands of letters received will testify. The immense sale of this medicine is another guarantee of its merits, (over a million and a half bottles sold last year.) So we ask, will it pay you to suffer from any of the above diseases when you can have immediate relief in the August Flower. Three doses will prove its worth. It is sold by all druggists and general dealers in all parts of the world. *

Lange & Co.'s Guessing Match.

Four valuable prizes, consisting of two Gold Watches, one Silver Tea Set and Tray and one Diamond Ring will be given away. For every $5 in cash invested in a purchase in our store from this date to the 1st January, 1889, the purchaser will be entitled to one chance in the above guessing match. We have made the mistake in overstocking ourselves this season in every branch in the jewelry line, fine goods particularly, and have chosen this method to turn them into cash regardless of profits, giving our customers the above advantage in return. Notice of the distribution of the above prizes will be given. *

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Endorsed by the faculty and all our customers perfectly satisfied. Intending purchasers invited to call and examine our stock and prices of pianos.

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A complete line in single and double width goods just received at the City House. *

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COLONIAL HOTEL,

HAVING DISPOSED OF MY INTEREST in the Colonial Hotel to Mr. Thomas Tugwell I hereby notify all persons having claims against the said premises to send in their accounts immediately.

All persons indebted to the undersigned will please settle before Oct. 10th.

Thanking the public for past favors and soliciting a continuance of same for my successor.

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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the next sitting of the Licensing Court for the City of Victoria I intend to apply for a Hotel License for the premises on the south-east corner of Douglas street and Queen's Avenue formerly known as the "Stag Tavern."

JOHN McCARTNEY.

Dated 29th November, 1888. no30d

NOTICE.

Estate of Thomas John Williams, late of Cowichan, deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE above estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons having claims are requested to send the same to

THORNTON FELL,
Solicitor to the Administratrix.

Victoria, 29th November 1888. no27-1m

NOTICE.

AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE AT the next sitting of the Licensing Court for the city of Victoria, by Stephen Jones, of the Dominion Hotel, No. 119 Yates street, Victoria for a hotel license.

Dated Victoria, Nov. 15th 1888.

NOTICE.

CENTRAL COAL YARD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE coal business carried on at this yard has been discontinued from this date.

Victoria B. C., 19th October 1888.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that application will be made at the next session of the Parliament of Canada for an act to incorporate a company for the purpose of constructing, equipping, maintaining and operating a line of railway from the City of Victoria, British Columbia to some point or points at or near Shoal Harbor and Swartz Bay, North Saanich, Vancouver Island, and of extending the said railway by ferry communications from the said points to all or any of the following points on the mainland of British Columbia, viz: To some point or place at or near Point Carry, Lulu Island, as well as to some other point on the south side of Fraser River at or near Canoe Pass and to some other point at or near Point Roberts and also of constructing, maintaining and operating one or more lines of railway from any or all of the aforesaid points on the said mainland to the Cities of Vancouver and New Westminster and to the international boundary line so as to connect with the Canadian Pacific Railway or any branch thereof and with the railway system of the United States with the usual powers to build, own and operate a telegraph or telephone line, or both in connection with the above mentioned lines and ferry, and all necessary bridges and ferrys and to build own and operate steam and other wharfs and to take and acquire lands, for the purposes of way, station, grounds and other necessities and to acquire lands or other bonuses or aids from the Government of the Dominion of Canada or any Local Government or Municipality, Corporation or person to assist in the construction of the said railway and ferries and to make traffic and other arrangements with other railway or other companies and for all other usual and necessary powers, rights and privileges.

YATES & JAY,
Solicitor for the Applicants.

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NOTICE.

Estate of Thomas Inge, deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE above estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith, and all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to present the same to

THORNTON FELL,
Solicitor for the Executors.

Victoria, 4th October, 1888. oct8tf

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Magistrates for the City of Victoria the undersigned will apply for a license to retail wines, liquors &c., upon the premises formerly known as the "Cosmopolitan" but now known as the "Victoria" hotel situate at the south east corner of Fort and Douglas streets.

CHARLES ZOELLE.

Dated Nov. 12th 1888. no12td

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Lv Seattle - - 1.30 a.m.	Lv Pt. Townsend 3.00 p.m.
Ar Pt. Townsend 5.30 a.m.	Ar Seattle - - 6.30 p.m.
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Victoria, - Tuesday, December 11th

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Board of School Trustees will meet this evening.

—Steamer Boscowitz sails for Skeena river at 6 o'clock this evening.

—Craft & Norris' block, on Douglas street, will be occupied on the 1st of Jan.

—The sidewalk on Douglas street, near Johnson street, is in a disgraceful condition.

—The Victoria Amateur Dramatic Company left on this morning's train for Nanaimo.

—L. Goodacre is mentioned as a candidate for aldermanic honors for Johnson street ward.

—The Idaho left the dry dock at 12 o'clock to-day and steamed round to the outer wharf.

—Shotbolt & Draney have purchased M. Hart's third interest in the Rivers Inlet Canning Co.

—The report in a morning paper that a child was robbed on the Indian reserve last Saturday is untrue.

—The Victoria Athletic Club are making arrangements for a banquet to be held during the holidays.

—The steward of the Royal Hospital desires to thank Mrs. Geo. Haynes for a parcel of clothes and linen.

—Belas, the Comox rancher who was lost in the woods, has not yet been found. Mrs. Belas will return to Dublin.

—R. Turnbull, mate of the Yosemite, sprained his foot at Moodyville on Friday, and will feel the effects for a week.

—The two local courts of the Foresters of Victoria will give a dance in the Assembly Hall, Fort street, on the 28th inst.

—The ladies of Pandora Street Methodist Church will hold a drawing room social on the 17th inst., in the school room.

—The sickness at Comox is said to be mountain fever. Others think it is due to the impure water the people have to drink.

—R. P. Rithet received a steel pleasure launch from Glasgow. The small vessel was brought to this city on the steamer Islander.

—It is reported that Mr. McGregor will not accept the position of librarian under the conditions laid down by the city council.

—The postponed social of the I. O. G. T. will be held in the Odd Fellows Hall on on Friday evening next. A good time may be expected.

—The oil painting of L. Roller, which adorned the Adelphi corner for some time, was raffled last evening. Ticket No. 9 won the prize.

—Three more cases of smallpox were discovered in Seattle on Monday last. There are eight patients in the pest house and an epidemic is feared.

—The treasurer of the Orphans' Home acknowledges the receipt of $250 from Mr. Dunsmuir, being half of the sum that gentleman obtained from the Times.

—The funeral of the late Harry Bolton took place yesterday afternoon at Nanaimo in the presence of a large concourse of sympathizing friends and acquaintances.

—The Licensing Board will meet at the city police court room on Saturday next at noon. A number of applications for new licenses will come before the magistrates.

—Geo. Irvine and W Stokes, two residdents of Nanaimo, will run five miles on Saturday night for $250 a side. The race will take place in the Yates street skating rink.

—Mark the difference. The game of curling yesterday inaugurated the winter season at Winnipeg. In Victoria there has not yet been any frost to nip the tenderest flower.

—Indian Joe was fined $50 this morning for being in possession of a bottle containing intoxicating liquor. The case was tried by Robert Ward and A. J. Langley, J. P's.

—M. Humber and Richard Hall are spoken of as candidates for Johnson Street Ward at the forthcoming election. J. Coughlan will run again. Ald. Penwill, it is expected, will not be a candidate.

—We are reminded of the approach of another session of the legislature by the appearance of our friend Mr. Samuel Greer on the scene. Mr. Greer will submit his case to the legislature again this year.

—At a meeting of the Cadboro School Board last evening, Miss Packard was appointed teacher of the Cadboro school in place of Miss Williams, who has resigned.

—Rev. P. McF. McLeod, in a letter in another column, corrects our report of his reference to church bazaars. He condemned the practice of disposing of articles by chance or lottery at bazaars and not bazaars themselves. This was the meaning we intended to convey, but our words were no doubt too general.

—The estate of Gustav Petzehler is in course of administration in this city, and there is ready to be turned over to his wife $900 and a gold watch and chain. But she is insane and has been in the Napa Asylum since February, 1881. Her sister, Salone Anderson, has applied for letters of guardianship.

—It is predicted that there will be a rush for Alaska next spring from the south. The geological survey reports through its secretary, that the river Yukon is an enormous stream 2400 miles long and navigable for 2000 miles. A Sound paper says there are sections of Alaska as promising to the settler as Dakota.

—The government taxidermist, Mr. John Fannin, received contributions to the museum from the following named gentlemen during the month of November: A H Maynard, James Fletcher, H Young, Peter Steele, F Townsend, J McB Smith, J Haynes, A H Pilkington, Geo McKenzie, Joel Broadwell, P Allen, Geo Dobson, M M Meyers and Geo H Wilson Esq., J P.

Winter.

Those "K" Boots stand the test. More of them just arrived at Mansell's, 95 Government street, next door to Van Volkenburgh's.

The Olympian.

On Sunday morning the steamer Olympian will go into the dry dock at Esquimalt and will be taken out again on Sunday evening after receiving a thorough cleaning.

Smallpox on the Sound.

One case of smallpox was discovered at Port Townsend Sunday night. The patient had been employed as a deck-hand on the steamer Edith and was around town three days before discovered.

For Trial in Alaska.

United States Marshals John Taggart and Geo. W. Nichol arrived on the steamer Umatilla with Louis Sharp, N. G. Hodgson and Robert McKinnan in custody. Sharp is the man who killed W. H. Dingley last summer at Popoff Island, Alaska. Hodgson and McKinnon were witnesses. The trial will be held at Sitka in the United States District Court.

The Southern Ferry.

Information has been received, says the *Columbian*, from Senator Canfield saying the ferry boat plans have been completed, and that its construction will be commenced as soon as the arrangements for lumber are completed with the Royal City Plaining Mills Co. The ferry is to be of tug pattern and capable of transferring 175 cars in 10 hours. It will have accomodation for 400 passengers. As soon as the contract for the lumber is closed Capt. Lake will be sent over from Seattle to begin work, and it is confidently expected the keel will be laid before the end of this month. The ferry will be built at some convenient spot near the Royal City Mills.

Katie Putnam.

"Miss Katie Putnam last night brought her successful engagement to a close, and she made her farewell appearance to a crowded house.

"She has, during her stay in our city, won for herself unfading laurels as an artiste, and gained a hold upon the good will as well as excited the admiration of our people.

"Miss Putnam's acting is something rare. It is grand in many of its features. It is earnest, enthusiastic, genius-like, and carries with it a power to control an audience. It is unnecessary to judge her by others. She is true to her own genius and powers, and her impersonations not only bears the stamp of a lofty superiority, but they have successfully met the pelished criticism of the ablest pen."—Boston Sunday *Times*.

First Presbyterian Church.

Sunday night the Rev. Mr. Fraser preached an able and eloquent sermon on "Love," taking his text from Jonh 16 a 9, the congregation completely filling the church. Of late the attendance at this church has been remarkably large and continues to increase every Sunday. Whether this is the result of increased religious farvour through the influence of Mr. Moody or from the earnest discourse of the pastor it is hard to say but the facts remain that every Sunday and evening the church is filled. The singing is also very attractive, the choir under Mr. Brown, doing splendid service. The anthem Sunday evening was very tastefully rendered by about 24 voices. It is now probably the largest choir in Victoria and certainly does its leader credit.

The Eloping Couple.

The young couple from Seattle, whose marriage took place yesterday morning, met with a strange adventure before leaving Seattle. The young lady resided with her parents at Lake Union, a few miles from Seattle. The road was impassable for a waggon and the young couple walked about a mile through the mud. The young lady was carrying her wedding dress and when they reached the carriage it was given to the driver and lost. At Seattle a posse of policemen were stationed at the wharf but the young people secured a boat and were put on board the Olympian from the opposite side. In the attempt to get on the steamer the young lady lost her hat. The wedding dress was gone, the hat lost overboard, and a detachment of police left on the wharf; but the young man was there and the love that laughs at locksmiths as well as losses was triumphant over all the obstacles which were thrown in their path. They found a mitten on the wharf in this city and were confronted with a good sheppard whose fatherly advice was taken and the loving young hearts were made happy.

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ROBBED ON THE TRACK.

A Chinese Agent Beaten and Robbed on the E. & N. Railway.

A Chinaman who acts as collector and paymaster for Wing Chuong, a merchant on Fisgard street, was attacked and robbed by some unknown person when walking on the Island Railway track about a three miles on this side of the summit. The insensible body of the Chinaman was found yesterday morning by Tom Tansey, section foreman, living near the track. There was a severe cut in the head and he appeared to be otherwise badly battered. The boots and socks were removed from his feet, and anything else that he may have had on his person worth taking was probably appropriated by the robber. He was brought to the city last night. About the only information that it has been possible to obtain from him is, that he was attacked by a Siwash, who beat and then robbed him. The Chinaman was at the time collecting the time books of the Chinese section men, for his employer. He is still in a precarious condition, and his friends think he is possessed of a devil.

BLACK COD FISHING.

Return of Capt. Alex. McLean from Queen Charlotte Island.

The schooner Mary Ellen, Capt. Alex. McLean, arrived this morning at 6 o'clock from Queen Charlotte Island with 25,000 pounds of black cod. The schooner left this city on the 7th of October and arrived at the fishing banks on the 17th. The weather was very boisterous nearly the whole time, and but ten days could be given to fishing. The officers and crew, numbering fifteen men, were Newfoundlanders and experts at the business. The fishing was done with trawls with 1000 hooks on each trawl. The trawls were 1000 fathoms long and the fishing was done in from 240 to 400 fathoms of water. The Mary Ellen left the banks on the 22nd November for Victoria. On the 23rd she encountered a heavy gale, the barometer being down to 28.80, the lowest the barometer has recorded on this coast. In the gale the vessel was damaged to the extent of $1000 and was only saved by being a staunch, sea worthy schooner under the charge of one of our best captains. Four of the crew remained on Queen Charlotte Island to prospect the fisheries on the coast. Capt. McLean has taken up a location on the island, and will build a fishery this winter. The schooner Theresa was spoken in Inskip Channel on Nov. 20th. The Theresa had 2000 black cod which average about eleven pounds each. Capt. McLean will return to Queen Charlotte Sound after the holidays.

SUPREME COURT.

The New Westminster Injunction Case Before the Court.

(Before the Hon. Justice Crease.)

TUESDAY, Dec. 11th.

Lundbour *et al* vs. Corporation of the City of New Westminster. This motion was brought to dissolve a certain *ex-parte* injunction granted by Mr. Justice Crease herein staying the city from handing over to trustees $150,000, the proceeds of certain bonus by-laws passed on the 13th August last, and which by-laws were ratified by a majority of 266 of the ratepayers. It appeared from the arguments that the money was granted to construct a steam ferry and workshops in connection with the New Westminster Southern Railway Company, an institution entirely owned and managed by citizens having large interests in the municipality; a proceeding which was opposed by a few citizens who after a delay of nearly five months came forward and got this injunction without any notice to the other side.

Mr. Davis for the Corporation pointed out that unless the injunction was dissolved at once great injury would be done to the city, and that if that course could not be adopted it would be best, *pro forma*, to dismiss the application so that the whole question should be decided at once on appeal before the Divisional Court on next Thursday. The latter course was finally determined upon and the application to dissolve was formally dismissed with leave to appeal to the Divisional Court on Thursday next.

Mr. Davie, Q. C., and Mr. Bole, Q. C., for City; Mr, Pooley, Q. C., for plaintiffs.

Loyalty—What Came of It?

What very nearly came to a "scrimmage" occurred at one of the hotels last night when the Vancouver foot-ball team and some friends started out to cover the town with a lurid coat of red paint. The combination, which was an unusually musical one, sang all the songs they knew, from "the devil amongst the tailors," to the national anthem and it was when they were about to render the latter that a small war cloud, about the size of a man's hand, loomed up in the horizon. The order was given for all heads to "uncover" during the singing of "God Save the Queen," and none manifesting any great haste in obeying the captain of the football team started in to summarily enforce the order around the room. The first man took off his hat all right but the next though equally loyal was not so docile and refused to take any more notice of the singing than if it had been "God save Ireland." The doughty captain thereupon dealt him a whack across the head with his umbrella by way of emphasizing the remark that he would remove the hat for him. This was coming it a little too strong in a country where every man is allowed to enjoy his opinions—barring editors. The party assaulted picked up a poker and dealt the football player a blow which left a big dent in his hat and it is said made a slight crease in the scalp as well. The matter ended here but things looked ominous for the loyal party at one time.

A Mendacious Correspondent.

The press correspondent in this city is connected with the *Colonist* office, which will in some measure explain the mendacity that generally characterizes dispatches from Victoria to the Associated Press. For instance, in regard to the late criminal libel suit in which the press correspondent was one of the defendants, that "Truthful James" telegraphs:

"One of the remarkable features of the case is that counsel for the defense has agreed to pay the costs."

This is an untruth, but it is on a par with the other statements in regard to the "production" of a confidential letter, and a "breach of faith" on the part of the prosecuting counsel. The Associated Press ought to instruct its representative in this city to adhere to facts or give him the grand bounce. He has become quite as unreliable as the great Ottawa fabricator.

Choral Society Concert.

The concert to be given by the above society promises to excel anything yet given in the city by amateurs. Last evening the society rehearsed the programme and everything went off smoothly. All lovers of music should be present on this occasion and aid the society by their presence. The orchestra is one of the best that the city affords. The programme consists of the oratorio of Judas Maccabeus and part songs from Mendellsohn, Molloy, and other well known composers; also solos by some of our best amateurs. Seats are being rapidly reserved at Lombard's Music Hall, Government street. The price of admission is placed at such a nominal figure that it will ensure a crowded house.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of the Movements of Well Known Persons.

W. Norman Bole, Q C, and Mrs Bole were among the arrivals from the mainland last night and are stopping at Mrs McDonald's, James Bay.

Samuel M. Robbins, superintendent of the Vancouver Coal Company, Nanaimo, arrived on this afternoon's train from Nanaimo.

Dr A C West is paying a professional visit to Nanaimo.

The Misses Wigley, one from New York, the other from Toronto, and sisters of Mrs J H Todd, arrived in Victoria last Wednesday night, and are the guests of Mr and Mrs Todd.

C J Jones, of Tacoma, is at the Clarence.

Rev G Tucker and O R Tucker, of Boise City, Idaho, are at the Driard.

S V Bentley, M D, and Mrs Bentley, of New Westminster, arrived from the Sound this morning and are at the Driard.

Mrs Scheuk and child arrived from San Francisco on the Olympian this morning.

Lieut Ogilvie of C Battery, leaves for Kinston and other eastern cities to-morrow by the C P R.

Capt Power of Moodyville, is in the city.

S A Spencer leaves to-night for Fort Simpson.

Capt Snowden returned from the mainland last night.

L A Agassiz arrived on the Louise last evening and is at the Driard.

J A Robinson, ex-City Clerk of Westminster, is at the Oriental.

D McGregor, of whose whereabouts the *Columbian* published a sensational paragraph, having completed his business, will return to Westminster to-morrow.

POLICE COURT.

(Before City Police Magistrate Richards, Q. C.)

Jamie Pottinger, a farmer, was charged with causing a disturbance by loitering on the street.

Prisoner said he did not remember being drunk.

Officer Allen said he remembered it and arrested prisoner on Government street.

Supt. Sheppard said the prisoner was born in the country. His father was here for over forty years and was a most respected citizen.

Fined $5 to be paid forthwith.

Ah Hing, on a remanded charge of vagrancy was called.

His Honor—I remanded this case to allow the prisoner a chance to procure witnesses.

Supt. Sheppard—The witnesses will not come. I want one of them for stealing a clock.

Officer Lindsay was detailed to bring the witnesses.

Another Chinaman named Ah Hop, on remand for stealing a coat, pleaded not guilty. Remanded until to-morrow.

John Thompson, charged with deserting from the ship Argyleshire. Remanded until to-morrow.

The witnesses in the Chinese vagrant case did not do any good for their friend and the prisoner was sent to gaol for one month.

Fatal Railway Accident.

A freight train ran into the Seattle passenger train at Puyallup, yesterday, telescoping the sleeper. The freight came along at full speed and dashed into the rear of the passenger train. The freight engine ran nearly half way into the sleeper. One lady, wife of T. B. Wilcox, daughter of W. S. Ladd, of Portland, was found nearly under the engine, scalded to death. Mr. Wilcox was slightly injured. One man, whose name is unknown, was killed. The engineer of the freight engine was badly hurt. The fireman jumped and escaped.

Marine Notes.

The American ship R. D. Rice, coal laden from Knobe, Japan, reports having experienced a typhoon when a hundred miles out, in which her topmasts were carried away and she was otherwise damaged.

The British ship Gitana, from Cardiff to Victoria, has been obliged to put into Queenstown with loss of iron work and topsail yard.

Steamship Aucon is loading coal at Seattle and will leave on Monday for Alaska.

The ship J. B. Brown, in tow of the steamer Tacoma, arrived at Nanaimo on Sunday, and will load a cargo of East Wellington coal for the Bay City.

Capt. Salmond, of the steamship Costa Rica, has issued invitations for a social party on his steamship at Nanaimo this evening.

The steamship Costa Rica with 2600 tons of V. C. Co.'s coal for San Francisco, will sail to-morrow morning.

The bark Harry Morse will complete her cargo of V. C. Co.'s coal on Wednesday.

The Standard's Explanation.

The *Standard* last night published the following explanation of its recent attack upon Mr. Hett and Mr. Mills:

"A few words in explanation of an addenda to a report concerning the settlement of the Grant-*Colonist* libel suit which appeared in our issue of Friday last is probably necessary, in justice to the gentlemen conducting the suit on the part of Mr. Grant.

"1st. The obnoxious paragraph, which might possibly be construed as reflecting upon the good faith of these gentlemen, is not editorial; but was inserted along with the body of the report without that careful revision which editorial matter would have received, and consequently without the possibly offensive phrase or phrases being inserted.

"2d. That the report nor the additional matter represents in the slightest degree the opinion of this journal on the subject, it having no reason for believing these gentlemen other than of most honorable standing.

"3d. That we make this explanation without any fear of any proceedings that these gentlemen may feel inclined to take, and simply from a desire to correct any wrong impression that the publication of the report in question may have with the public."

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Henry Gribble, 84 Government Street, Victoria.

—J. Topham won a diamond ring at a raffle on Saturday night.

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S. DUCK,
Assessor and Collector.
City Hall, Victoria, B. C., 8 Dec., 1888. dec11

PROVINCIAL.

Royal Jubilee Hospital.

A General Committee Meeting will be held at the Board of Trade Rooms, Bank of British Columbia Buildings, on FRIDAY NEXT, the 14th instant, at 3 p. m. sharp. Business: To receive Report of the Building Committee on the Tenders submitted, and Financial Statement thereon. Members are urgently requested to attend, in order that the Building may be at once proceeded with.

WM. M. CHUDLEY,
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Victoria, B. C., 10th December, 1888. d11td

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